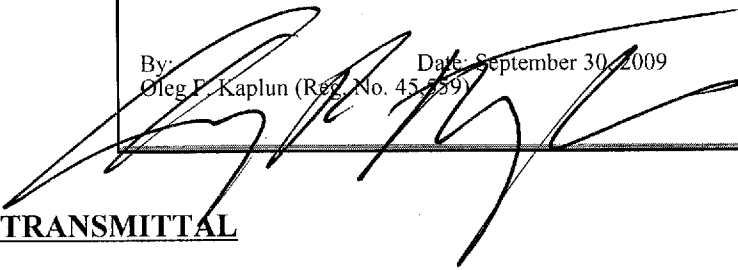


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Transmitted herewith please find an Amendment in response to the Non-Final Office Action mailed on May 1, 2009 in the above-identified application. Applicants hereby request a two-month extension of time. Please charge the Credit Card of **Fay Kaplun & Marcin, LLP** in the amount of \$407.00 (new claims and two month extension). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the **Deposit Account of Fay Kaplun & Marcin, LLP No. 50-1492** any additional fees.

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